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SUSPENDED DECISION TO STRIKE AT ONCE

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] CARDIFF, Wales, Sept. 17.—A conference of delegates representing 17,000 South Wales railway men, met here today and after listening to an appeal by James Henry Thomas, labor member of the house of commons and assistant general secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants, passed a resolution to suspend the decision to strike at midnight tonight unless their demands were granted. This action was taken pending the negotiations in London looking to settlement of the dispute between the railway and their employees over the wage question.

Mr. Thomas told the delegates that if they persisted in their decision to strike, trade union executives would repudiate their action. The railway men, although they agreed to wait until next Sunday, emphatically reaffirmed their nothing less than a ten shilling advance would satisfy them.

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[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] STANTON, Ill., Sept. 17.—That a cause giving the president of the United States power to draft citizens into the army in time of war, was "smuggled" into the Hay-Chamberlain army bill, was charged by Allan L. Benson, socialist candidate for president in an address here today. Benson criticized what he termed the militarism of the United States.

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DRY SPECIALS IN CALIFORNIA

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] DENVER, Sept. 17.—The coast-to-coast special train bearing J. Frank Hanly and Dr. Ira Landrith, prohibition candidates for president and vice president, arrived here tonight from Ashland, Ore., and the California campaign will begin tomorrow with seven meetings, beginning here and ending at Sacramento.

California is one of the states which the "drys" are making a determined effort to capture this fall, and the leaders of the prohibition national campaign are trying hard to unite at factions opposed to the saloon. Oliver W. Stewart, campaign manager, gave out tonight an open letter he has sent to Purley Baker, national superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, inviting his support of the party's candidates. Hereafter the league and the party have not worked harmoniously, agreeing on the main issue but differing on conditions.

ENTERS TOWN IN NIGHT WHEN THE PEOPLE SLEEP

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A small part of armed Mexicans was stationed below Namiqualpa, had dispatched a battalion of the Twenty-fourth Infantry by motor trucks to reinforce the American garrison at that point. Although the military authorities here say they have heard nothing of the capture, the truckmen assert that the prisoners are now in the stockade at Dublin.

Two Mexicans crossed over to El Paso today, who claim to have escaped from Chihuahua City during the fight. They said they took the train for Juarez early yesterday morning some distance out of town, and arrived in Juarez last night. At the time they left, they said they thought Villa was in complete possession of Chihuahua.

Col. Beacom Dies. COLUMBUS, N. M., Sept. 17.—Colonel John H. Beacom, Sixth Infantry, died of heart failure today at Colonia Dublan, according to news received here at the army headquarters. He was stricken while preparing to leave for Calexico, Cal., to command a brigade of national guard troops en route to that place.

Colonel Beacom led his regiment to San Antonio, Chihuahua, in the earlier part of the campaign after Villa. He was 59 years old and born in Ohio.

Lopez Near Santa Elena. PHOENIX, Sept. 17.—Lopez, leader of the Mexican punitive expedition, is near Santa Elena, one of the few surviving leaders of Villa's old command, is said in the official reports received at headquarters today to be in the vicinity of Santa Elena, near Pueblo, with 180 followers. Army officials say they believe that his party is searching for ammunition caches and is also after recruits.

The presence of Lopez in Santa Clara canyon probably gave rise to the rumor recently that Villa himself was in that section.

French Capture Trenches. PARIS, Sept. 17.—The French have captured the trenches between Verdun and Denicourt, on the one side, and Denicourt and Berry, on the other, south of the Somme river, according to the official statement issued by the war office tonight. They also have taken those portions of the villages of Verdun, Denicourt and Berry that have remained in possession of the Germans.

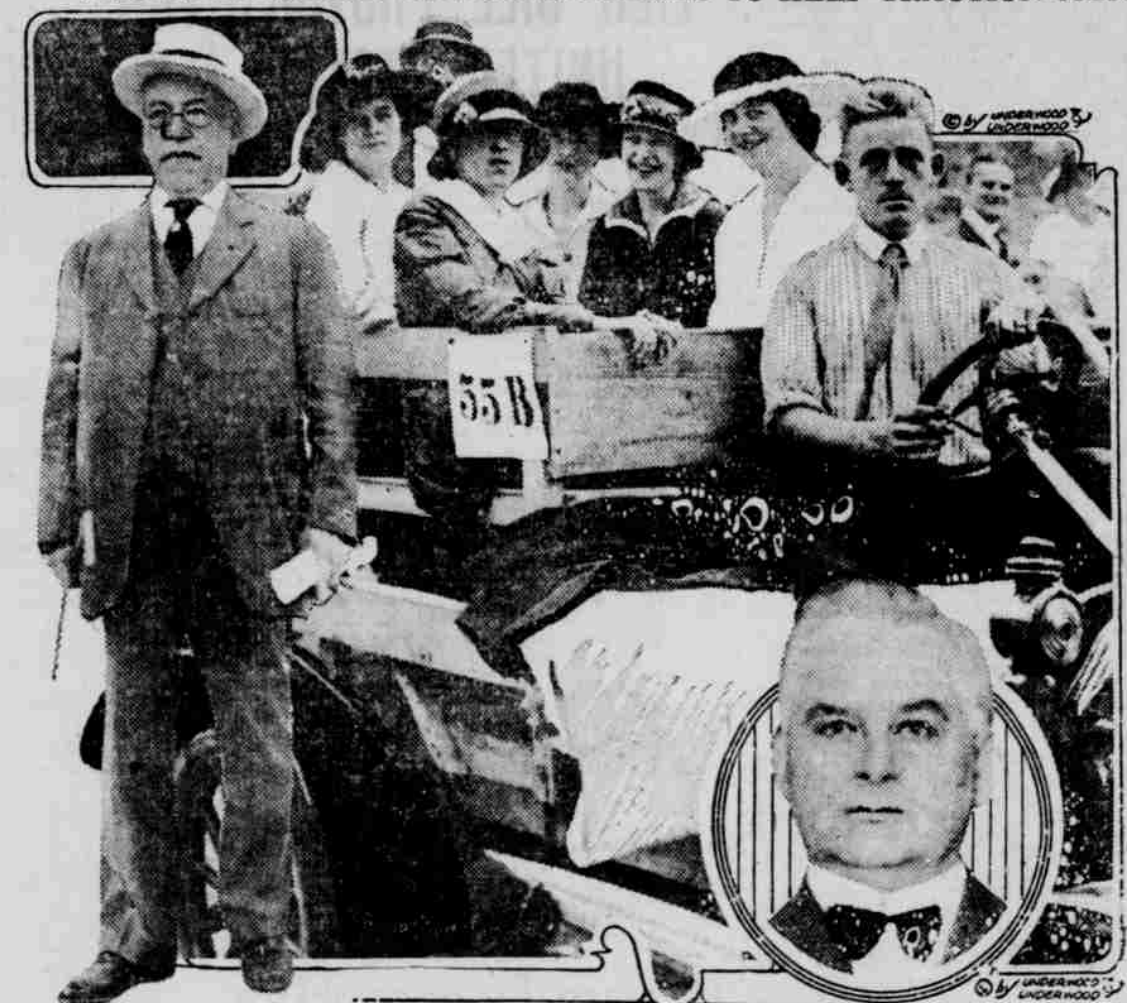
Seven hundred unarmored prisoners were captured. French artillery has been active along the Somme front, the war office announced this afternoon, but no operations of notable importance are chronicled. Numerous air raids have been carried out by French aviators, says the official statement.

French and Russian troops advancing rapidly on the western end of the eastern Macedonian front have arrived in front of Florina, close to the Serbian border, south of Monastir, the French war office announced in this afternoon's official bulletin.

Serbian are advancing on both sides of Lake Ostrovo, defeating Bulgarians near Kalamakian and continuing to throw troops across the river. Brod, where Bulgarians are resisting.

Russians on Offensive. BERLIN, Sept. 17. (Via London)—

GOMPERS AND FRAYNE URGE SYMPATHETIC STRIKE IN NEW YORK; WOULD PARALYZE CITY'S INDUSTRIES TO HELP TRACTION MEN



Samuel Gompers (left), Hugh Frayne, and New York telephone girls going to work in a jitney. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Hugh Frayne, the federation's New York organizer, are in New York city helping to direct the great traction strike. Both these leaders are urging a general sympathetic strike which would tie up New York.

Heavy offensive operations by the Russians have been in progress along large sections of the front in Russia and Galicia, the war office announced today, the Teutonic forces holding their ground all along the line except in the sector where troops of Archduke Charles Francis, resisting the Russian advance toward Halicz were forced back for a short distance.

The Russians suffered extremely heavy losses, particularly in assaults near Zatur, west of Vladimir-Volynski, which failed completely. Attacks between the Sereth and the Stripa north of Zborova also broke down and a Russian attempt to advance north of Stanislaw was frustrated. Field Marshal von Mackensen is pressing pursuit of Russians and Rumanians in the Rumanian province of Dobruja, the war office announced today.

The Rumanian advance in Transylvania is continuing, says the statement, which adds that the Greek season of Kavala is being bombarded by intense shelling.

Moving on Halicz. PETROGRAD, Sept. 17. (Via London)—Russian troops have resumed their closing-in movement on the Galician town of Halicz.

The war office announced today that the Teutons had been dislodged from positions south of Brestany, on the Silesia line, northeast of Halicz, and that the Russians were attacking along the Podyske-Halicz railway line, where more than 3,000 Germans were taken prisoner and twenty machine guns captured.

May Increase Blockade. COPENHAGEN, Sept. 17. (Via London)—The Norwegian papers Morgenbladet, of Christiania, warns the Scandinavian public of the probability of increased blockade pressure against Scandinavia.

Since Rumania has joined the entente allies, says the newspaper there is only one gap, namely Scandinavia, in the ring surrounding the central powers, and undoubtedly the British political purpose is to close that gap.

CARRANZA REGULATES MONEY

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] MEXICO CITY, Sept. 17.—General Carranza today issued a decree regulating banks and the issue of bank notes. The decree provides that banks shall increase their reserves and they are sufficient to cover all paper money already issued. General Carranza will appoint bank examiners and if banks do not comply with the decree they must liquidate and dissolve. The decree also takes away the monopoly of banking bank bills from banks, as the government is preparing to even a bank for the issuance of this form of money.

HAVE CLOSE CALL

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] PALL SMITHS, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Miss Margaret Nichols, daughter of the Right Rev. William F. Nichols, Episcopal bishop of San Francisco, Cal., and two other young women companions, the Misses Augusta Bishop and Helen Carth of New York, had narrow escapes on upper St. Regis Lake, near here early today when a log cabin in which they were sleeping caught fire and burned to the ground.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CONFERENCE

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The fourth biennial session of the National Conference of Catholic Charities here today with attendance of delegates representing Catholic charity organizations in twenty-eight states. Meetings will continue three days. Most of today was devoted to preliminary discussion and the organization of sections for consideration of various subjects. Formal opening of the conference was celebrated with solemn high mass. A reception to the delegates was held by Archbishop Rensselaer, the apostolic delegate.

INTERNAL REVENUE OPERATIONS

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Internal revenue bureau operations during the fiscal years 1914, 1915 and 1916 were summed up in a statement tonight by Secretary McAdoo. "During that period," the statement says, "the bureau recovered more than enough taxes to meet the expenses of the bureau. The expenses of the bureau, in Washington and in the field for the three years were approximately \$13,800,000. There was assessed and collected approximately \$21,000,000, which was entirely the result of the activities of the bureau and its field force. This tax was increased through the discovery of frauds, evasion, and the like. In recovery was due to effective enforcement of the revenue laws and efficient administration."

PRESIDENT ON WAY TO SISTER'S FUNERAL

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] LONG BEACH, N. J., Sept. 17.—President and Mrs. Wilson left here at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Columbia, S. C., to attend the funeral of the president's sister, Mrs. Annie E. Howe, who died yesterday in New London, Conn. The services will be held tomorrow in the First Presbyterian church, Columbia, and Mr. Wilson will return here Tuesday afternoon.

All arrangements for political conferences here are being held in abeyance during the president's absence. Accompanied by Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the White House physician, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will leave for Trenton, N. J., to meet other relatives of Mrs. Howe, who are taking the body to Columbia.

The president will leave Columbia at 6:15 p. m. tomorrow.

Passes Through Washington. WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The funeral train with President Wilson on board passed through Washington at 9:30 o'clock tonight. A stop of ten minutes was made, but no members of the funeral party left the train.

CHICK DISPLAYS SKILL

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] TOLEDO, O., Sept. 17.—Charles (Chick) Evans, Jr., national open and amateur golf champion, displayed his skill before a large crowd here today. Evans won with Holman Hubbard, former Ohio champion and runner-up in the recent central states golf association tournament here, in a foursome against Harold Weber and Harry Hines. Evans and Hubbard won the match one up.

FATAL AUTO OVERTURNS

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] PIERCE, Colo., Sept. 17.—The body of Dr. W. S. Connett of Baton, N. M., was found beside his overturned automobile 13 miles south of here today by a party of automobilists. Letters found on the body established its identity and indicated that Mr. Connett was on his way to Denver to meet his wife and daughter. Nothing was found about the automobile to indicate the cause of the accident.

MYSTERY IN JENNINGS' DEATH

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] LONG BEACH, Cal., Sept. 17.—A coroner's inquest, it was announced today, will be held to determine the exact cause of death of W. L. Jennings, formerly superintendent of machinery in the School of Mines at Golden, Colo., whose body was found last night near that of a cat which had killed him. It is believed that in putting an end to the cat he inhaled the fumes of the anesthetic.

SYDNEY PAGET DEAD

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] LONDON, Sept. 18.—Sydney Paget, well known as a turfman, died in his bed here today. He was 59 years old. He had been suffering from a long illness.

ORDERED TO EL PASO

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 17.—General Funston today ordered the Tenth Tennessee cavalry troop, ambulance company and field hospital to El Paso, to relieve the Rhode Island ambulance company and the Massachusetts first field hospital. The Tenth Tennessee cavalry goes to El Paso and the Second Tennessee has been ordered to McAllen. The First Vermont and Second New York, stationed at Eagle Pass and McAllen, have been ordered home.

PRICE OF NEW LOAN

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] PARIS, Sept. 17.—Official notice was given today that the price of issue of the new war loan will be 88 francs, 75 centimes.

MANY SHIPS DESTROYED

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] BERLIN, Sept. 17.—(Wireless to Sayville)—"During August," says an official admiralty statement issued today, "the German merchant ships were destroyed by the central powers, and thirty-five neutral merchant ships carrying contraband of war to enemies."

OFFICERS WERE ARMED

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Two British officers commanding the boarding party which recently held up and examined the Philippine steamer Cebu within Philippine territorial waters, were armed, according to a supplementary report of the incident received at the war department today from Governor General Harrison. Secretary Lansing has been awaiting further information regarding the Cebu case before bringing the apparent violation of American neutrality to the attention of the British government.

DRYS TO MEET IN DENVER

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] DENVER, Sept. 17.—The state convention of the prohibition party will be held in Denver September 29, it was announced here today, at which the party will elect its officers and action decided upon with reference to the campaign. The national nominees of the party are scheduled to speak here on that date.

Casa Grande

The primary election passed off here very quietly with only a fair vote polled. Hall won over McKinney for sheriff on the democratic ticket. Mr. C. Howard Davis over Frank Finley, for the legislature, and a few other such contests which were mildly exciting.

School opened on Monday with full attendance, though there are still a number to enter. Mrs. E. K. Kiersey, principal, Mrs. E. M. Guild, Dan Pearl, Miss Winnie Enslow and Miss Frieda Iselin, assistants.

Hon. Thos. E. Morrison of Phoenix, who has lately returned from a trip to New York City, was a visitor here this week.

Henry Pierce of San Francisco was looking over the valley the past week, but owing to the heavy rains did not have as much time to look around as he would have preferred. Mr. Pierce was much impressed with the soil and the prospects for agriculture, and he thinks would be especially favorable to the growing of fruits and asparagus and rhubarb.

Mrs. Eugene Shepard of Florence, and the Misses Hall went to Phoenix on Tuesday evening, accompanying Mrs. Shepard's mother as far as Maricopa en route to Los Angeles.

Dr. C. Howard Davis of Eloy, the successful candidate in getting the nomination for the legislature, was calling on friends in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Robinson of St. Joseph, Mo., spent a few days with their daughter Mrs. F. F. Farberger at the Dunbar ranch during the week. They are going to Tucson, El Paso and San Antonio. Mr. Robinson is assistant general train dispatcher of the C. B. & O. R. out of St. Joseph, and is on his annual leave of absence.

Hon. J. E. Brown on Thursday received a car of Durham two-year-olds for his ranch which he is striving to make the banner ranch of the valley.

E. J. Pennett of the superior court in Florence, was over at the election on Tuesday looking after the interests of some of his friends. Since Mr. Pennett has returned from his clerk of the superior court, he did not have to look out for himself at this election.

Thursday two cars of cattle were shipped by Frank Hillman of the Colby Cattle company of Bisbee to his farm in Bisbee from the Shannon ranch.

Mrs. E. G. Lavers, who has spent Sunday and joined Mr. Lavers at the Allerton house, where they have gone to housekeeping very comfortably.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Malone are here from Colton for a short visit while looking after a little for a new location. Mrs. Malone lived here before her marriage and will be remembered as Miss Vera Foster.

T. M. Word, buyer of horses for the Phoenix government, was here a few days during the past week.

A. T. Carr from Los Angeles is spending some time with his brother, Earl Carr, in town.

Miss Nana Eddy and Ray Woolpert surprised their many friends in the valley last week by announcing their marriage, which occurred on Wednesday in Los Angeles. Mr. Woolpert has been in Seaco for several weeks while Miss Eddy had spent the summer in California, so it was not known here that Mr. Woolpert had come out to the coast.

Archibuteo is building a five-room bungalow on his ranch west of town. A. G. Porter, contractor, William Sullivan of Nunez, came in on Thursday morning from Santa Rosa, California, where he has spent the past two months.

Messrs. George Wilson and Calvert Vance have gone to Tucson where

SOUTH SIDE NEWS

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Tempe News Notes

SPEEDY MARRIAGE OF HI FACULTY MEMBER

Three hours after Miss Kathleen Fidler of Ray Junction, Arizona, arrived in the valley Saturday evening, she was united in marriage to Prof. S. J. Jennings, manual training instructor and athletic director at Tempe, and today the young couple will be receiving the hearty congratulations of their many friends. They were married at the Christian church parsonage here, but left immediately after the ceremony and yesterday passed the day elsewhere than in Tempe.

It was generally surmised that this happy event was to occur soon, but the speed with which it was consummated after Mrs. Jennings arrived in the valley, took even the most intimate friends of the young people by surprise. The wedding was performed by Rev. J. R. Rountree of the Christian church at just eight o'clock, only the two necessary witnesses and the clergyman attending.

Prof. Jennings is widely known over the valley in school circles, particularly through his interest in athletic events, for the last three years having been coach of Tempe high school's baseball, basketball and track teams. He is also manual training instructor in the Tempe high school and is well known in Tempe in lodge and social circles.

Mrs. Jennings has this summer made her home at Ray Junction with her parents, but prior to that, Mrs. Fidler lived in Tempe and for several terms Mrs. Jennings attended the Tempe high. It was there that the romance culminating in the happy marriage of the young people Saturday night, began. Mrs. Jennings is an accomplished pianist and during her residence here was one of the most popular and best liked young ladies in Tempe high.

A neat little cottage on East Seventh street at Forest avenue has been provided by Prof. Jennings for his bride and they plan to take up housekeeping there within a short while.

HOT TAMALES Sunday evenings at Elias Restaurant, East Tempe on Mesa road. (Adv.) 11

SCUDDER HERE. E. H. Scudder, former superintendent of the Tempe schools and still extensively interested in local property, arrived in the valley Saturday night and will spend the week here before continuing on to Palo Alto, California, where Mrs. Scudder and the children are located. Scudder has spent several terms in the Chicago University and most recently has been teaching at Oxford, Ohio.

GOING TO STANFORD. Bryan Moss came in yesterday morning from the Mullen cattle ranch at Hillside and following a day's visit with his parents left last night for Palo Alto, California, to commence a three year course of study in Stanford University. Moss graduated from the normal in 1915 and taught school last term.

TRANSFER and baggage. Buck's Livery, Tempe—Adv. 10b

DOWN FROM HAYDEN

Robert Finch, for a number of seasons, star athlete among the students of the Tempe schools, came down from Hayden Saturday night, and will enter his senior year at the normal this morning.

GOING TO U. OF A.

Wm. A. Bloys is numbered among the Tempe young people to enter the University of Arizona at Tucson this morning.

Mr. Wilson will enter the university. Mr. Vance also resuming his studies at that institution. Our old friend A. J. Vance, has returned from Los Angeles very much improved in health, having gone out some time ago for treatment by a specialist.

W. S. Fennett of the Oliver Chilled Flour company, calling on the trade here on Thursday. Van H. Brooks, who spent the summer with his nephew, Ed Brooks in Los Angeles, has fully recovered from the spell of pneumonia which he contracted last winter and has returned looking hale and hearty.

Fair Commissioner Ward Davies was out in the eastern section of El Monte county last week in the interests of his exhibits for November. He says he is going after that prize for the best display and he bids fair to set it. Mr. Davies and Roy Young were up to come back by train. To hear his accounts of the time it took he would have saved time to walk.

Mr. Frank Thackery of Sacaton had as his guest last week, his brother, William Thackery, from the Indian school at Albuquerque. Mrs. Frank Leonard, who spent the summer at the Lakeshore Mine with her husband, returned to Tucson where her children attend school.

Rev. Father Oblaser of Tawana, Ariz., was in the valley on Thursday. Mr. A. Pitzer and sister, Miss Gilliland of Los Angeles and Phoenix, are spending some weeks in Casa Grande having development work done on some claims they hold.

Mr. and Mrs. Dailey who have a quite a business in their laundry, have decided to go back to the ranch and will send out their business here. This is a matter of sincere regret to many of the people here who have found their laundry a great convenience.

Mrs. Hulda Elliot is in Placazo on a business trip for a few days. Mrs. W. S. Hamilton continues very ill at her home here. The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Boyce are very ill at this report.

Dr. E. J. Gurele was called to Los Angeles by the illness of his wife who had come out a few days previously to visit her mother Mrs. Hauser, so the need of another doctor is felt very much at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Tigler of Prescott were business callers in the Casa Grande district last week. They were among some who would have been glad to exchange their notes for bonds during the hard rain of Friday.

News from Clarence Wilson and Mrs. Wood, who have been visiting in California, was that they would turn their faces homeward and probably arrive about Sunday.

TO TEACH AT GILBERT. Kenneth MacLennan of the normal 1916 class has recently secured a position as teacher of the eighth grade in the school at Gilbert and will begin the term's work with the opening of school this morning. Miss Erin Hodnett of Tempe is also employed in the Gilbert school.

AT HILLSIDE. Ephraim Carlson, cashier of the Farmers' bank here, will be spending the week end at Hillside on business.

MEXICAN'S INDEPENDENCE DAY. The Spanish Independence Day, Sept. 16th, was celebrated in the time honored way by local Mexicans. Friday night a big Spanish ball was given in the Cosmopolitan hall and with the advent of Independence day, sleepy ones in all parts of town were apprised of its arrival when powder shots were set off. Again Saturday night the Mexican young people celebrated with much merriment and during the course of Saturday numerous other events occurred.

TO TEACH AT PALO VERDE. Miss Panay Harmon left yesterday afternoon for Palo Verde to resume her work as a teacher in the school there. She was accompanied by her mother who will make her home there during the school term.